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Corps reviews permit application ***Permit requested from Kootenai County, Idaho***

WALLA WALLA, Wash. – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is reviewing an application requesting a Department of the Army permit for certain work in waters of the United States. The public notice regarding the permit application listed here was issued Aug. 2, 2007.

Public Notice NWW-2007-537, requested by JD's Resort, Inc., proposes to provide additional boat moorage and convenient services for boaters, improve access to marina facilities and protect marina facilities from wave action. Actions proposed include relocating some existing docks and boathouses; relocating an existing, pile-supported building; lengthening a breakwater and a dock; extending the deck of the motel 12 feet beyond the ordinary high water mark and replacing an existing seawall. The applicant proposes to discharge approximately 20.5 cubic yards of gravel over about 1,800 square feet of lake bottom immediately lakeward of the seawall to enhance an area suitable for kokanee salmon spawning.

The project is located in the Scenic Bay of Lake Pend Oreille in Bay view, Kootenai County, Idaho. Comments must be received by Aug. 23, 2007. A copy of the public notice may be found at www.nww.usace.army.mil/html/offices/op/rf/pn/2007-537.pdf.

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public, federal, state and local agencies, Native American tribes and other interested parties on these permit requests.

The Corps issues or denies permits for the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the United States under authority of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act and for work in or affecting navigable waters of the U.S. under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899.

For more information on any public notice under consideration by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, please visit the Current Public Notices section on the Walla Walla District's Web site at www.nww.usace.army.mil/html/offices/op/rf/rfhome.htm.

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